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"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 3621"

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
MASASHI MORIOKA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: JOHNS, C.  
SERIAL NO: 10/673,239 :  
FILED: SEPTEMBER 30, 2003 : GROUP ART UNIT: 3621  
FOR: METHOD OF AUTHENTICATION :  
AND PAYMENT, OPERATION METHOD  
OF AN AUTHENTICATION AND  
PAYMENT SYSTEM, TERMINAL  
DEVICE, SERVICE PROVIDING DEVICE,  
AUTHENTICATION AND PAYMENT  
DEVICE, AND CONTROL  
INFORMATION PROVIDING DEVICE

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated February 28, 2008, Applicants respectfully  
request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.